

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 December 19 2014 to 1800 December 19 2014



Fresh snowfall at Sugar Bowl Ski Resort, near Norden.  
Photo Credit: SF Gate

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



**Cal OES**  
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE  
OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **2014 Statewide December Winter Storms**

### **Cal OES Inland Region**

Cal OES Inland Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storms.

### **Activations**

- None

### **Emergency Management**

- Tehama County: There is continued threat to residents, agriculture, and infrastructure due to a private property berm washout. The washout occurred along the Highway 99 Corridor, approximately 6 miles from Dairyville North. Cal OES Inland Region is working with the County and Recovery Branch to mitigate the issue.

### **Evacuations/Shelters**

- Statewide ARC Disaster Response Designation - DR 523-15 CA 1214 Winter Storms

### **Roads**

- No closures reported

### **Proclamations**

- Tehama County: A Proclamation from Tehama County was received on 12/9/14 proclaiming a local emergency to impacts from storms that struck during the first week of December and anticipated impacts from storms forecasted for 12/10-12/12/14. On 12/17/14, a Ratified Proclamation has been received from Tehama County for the December Winter Storms, requesting CDAA.

### **Missions**

- **2014-IREOC-8113:** Type 1 crews requested to assist in Berm Repair project in Tehama Co. Crews will be assisting in and bagging, moving Aqua Dams into place as well as work on identified weak spots in Berm that have been identified as being overtopped in recent storms. Crews will also be assisting in loading sandbags from truck onto cargo nets/tarps for helo transport of all materials to the damage/repair site.
- **2014-IREOC-8119:** Corrections staff have been requested for field operations and supervision of inmate crews on dirt berms.

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## **2014 Statewide December Winter Storms**

### **Cal OES Coastal Region**

Cal OES Coastal Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

#### **Evacuations**

- San Mateo County: Two mobile home parks evacuated in Redwood City / Belmont on 12/11/14.
  - 1933 E. Bayshore Blvd., Redwood City, 26 residents evacuated.
  - 100 Harbor Blvd, Belmont, 15 residents evacuated and 76 residents stayed in their trailer homes.

#### **Shelters**

- None

#### **Proclamations**

- Lake County: A Proclamation from Lake County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the December Storm Event. No requests for state assistance. [On 12/19/14, Lake County requested a Governor's concurrence and CDAA.](#)
- Sonoma County: A Proclamation from Lake County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the December Storm Event. A Ratification of Proclamation was received on 12/18/14, from Sonoma County requesting CDAA to assist in the response and recovery from damages.
- Marin: A Proclamation from Marin County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency due to the December Winter Storms. Governor's Proclamation and Presidential Declaration have been requested. A Proclamation Addendum from Marin County has been received on 12/18/14, requesting California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) funding, a U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) declaration, and U.S. Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) emergency relief funding.
- [San Mateo: On 12/19/14, a Proclamation from San Mateo County has been received requesting CDAA, SBA declaration, financial assistance in order to repair roads and highways damaged by the storm, and a Presidential Declaration requesting federal funds.](#)

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### Cal OES Coastal Region

#### **Recovery**

- Coastal Region is working with San Mateo, San Francisco, Monterey, Marin, Sonoma, and Lake Counties to assess the damage done by the storm on 12/12/14.
- On 12/16/14 at 1830 hours, a Community Meeting at the South San Francisco's Municipal Services Bldg., City Council Chambers, for community members who were affected by the Winter Storm was held. The meeting's goal was to inform them what assistance and information is available (such as disaster recovery resources, local VOAD, approval for emergency protective measure types of home repairs and improvements) and answer questions. Cal OES Coastal Region and IA staffs, San Mateo County OES, Public Works and HHS staff, SSF Fire, SSF City Staff and Council members, ARC, and over 100 members of the public were in attendance. Homeowners were encouraged to contact their insurance carrier immediately.

#### **Missions:**

- **2014-CREOC-8008**, San Mateo County requests 4 State Housing and Community Development evaluators to assist the County with assessing the impacts of the flood on 80 mobile homes. Mission is scheduled to be completed on 12/19/14.

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## 2014 Statewide December Winter Storms

### Cal OES Southern Region

Cal OES Southern Region and Recovery continues to work closely with all impacted operational areas to assess the impacts, losses, and costs of the December Winter Storm.

#### **Activations**

- None

#### **Evacuations**

- None.

#### **Shelters**

- None

#### **Road Closures**

- State Route 1, Pacific Coast Highway, is closed 0.7 miles North of the Los Angeles County line due to a mud slide. Alternate routes are available. The roadway may be closed for up to four weeks.

#### **Missions**

- **2014-SREOC-8055**, A Geologist from the California Geologic Survey will be meeting with Riverside County (RVCO) representatives at the San Jacinto site. [Mission complete. Mission Closed.](#)

#### **Proclamations**

- On 12/18/14, a Proclamation of Local Emergency was declared by the City of Thousand Oaks, Ventura County, due to the debris flows from recent storms. No requests for state assistance.
- [On 12/19/14, A Proclamation Extension was received from Camarillo Springs, Ventura County. No requests for state assistance.](#)

#### **Recovery**

- Building damage assessments due to mudslides completed on 12/13/14.  
Ventura County, Camarillo: 10 red tagged, 3 yellow tagged, 3 green tagged

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Proclamations**

On 12/19/14, a Proclamation with request for CDAA was received from Ventura County regarding the Mission HazMat Incident.

## **PUBLIC HEALTH AND MEDICAL (EF-8) SITUATION REPORT, as of 12/19/14:**

- The outbreak of EVD in West African countries continues to vary. Reported case incidences are fluctuating in Guinea and declining in Liberia. There are signs that the increase in incidence has slowed in Sierra Leone. On November 16, 2014, the World Health Organization (WHO) added Mali to the countries with confirmed cases of Ebola related deaths. However, EVD still does not pose a significant risk to the United States.
- As of their Situation Report dated [December 14, 2014](#), the WHO has reported a cumulative total of [18,603](#) cases of EVD and [6,915](#) deaths.
- There are currently no suspected or confirmed cases of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) in California.
- At present, the situational assessment for the risk of EVD infection in California remains very low.
- [Full Report Attached](#)

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php)

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

The extremely wet pattern continues over Northern California, with the region receiving rain nearly continuously over the past 21 days since late November. The next Pacific frontal system is moving onshore today with moderate to heavy precipitation and another one quickly follows late tonight into Saturday. Snow levels will be near 5,000 feet today and rising to above 6,000 feet Saturday. From Sunday through Tuesday high pressure will move in with the first break in the precipitation for the region since Thanksgiving. Some valleys and canyons will have strong inversions with fog and cool temperatures, but coastal areas and the mid to upper slopes will be warmer with plenty of sunshine. There is a chance that a quick moving colder system will pass through next Wednesday through Thursday with a brief shot of precipitation and lower snow levels.

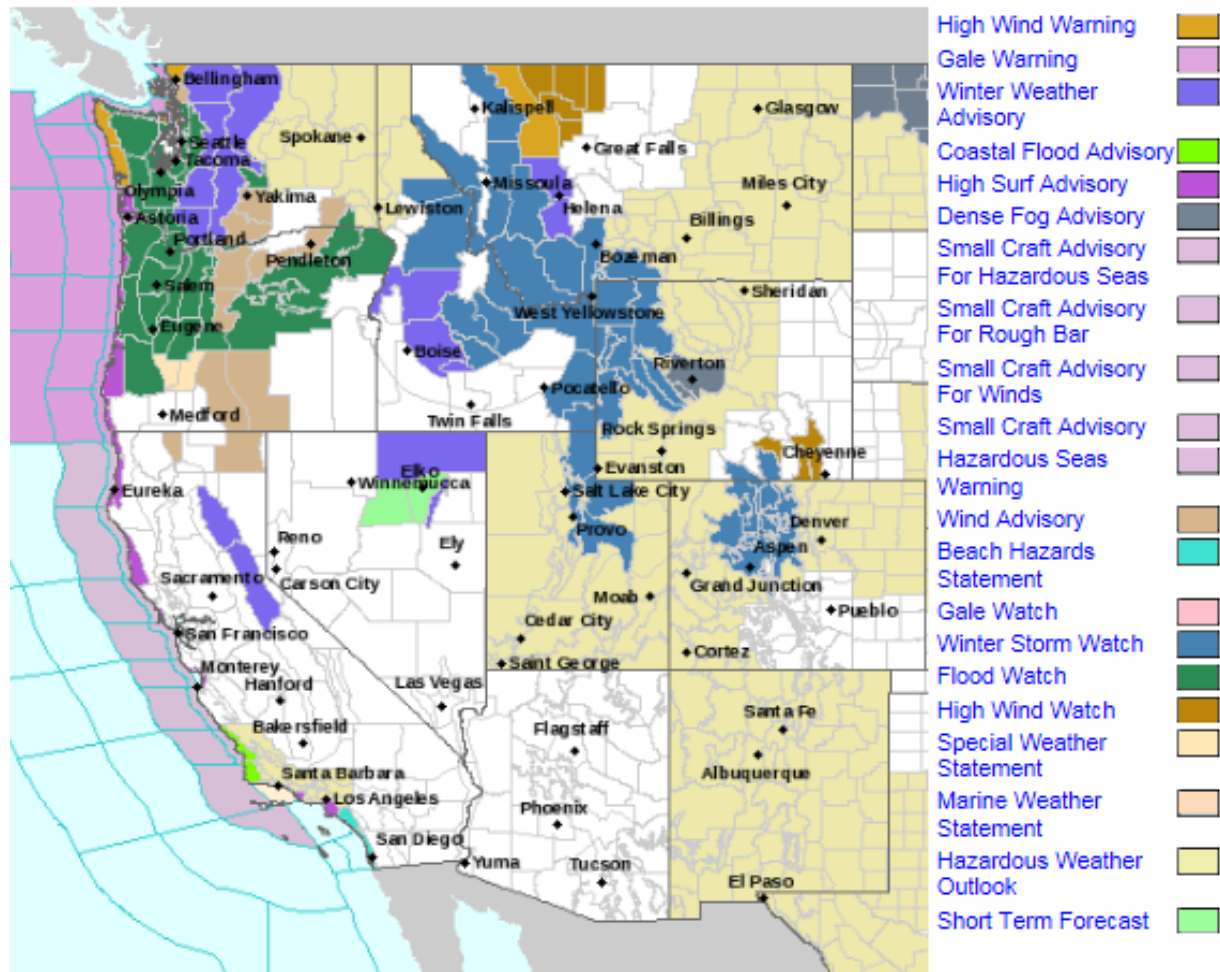
### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

A dissipating trough will bring some light rain to Central California, mainly north of San Luis Obispo and Fresno Counties. Rainfall amounts will generally be under a quarter of an inch. Across the Sierras from Yosemite National Park northward, 2-5 inches of snowfall will be possible this afternoon and evening. The rest of the area will continue to see partly cloudy and cool weather again today. Highs will be a few degrees below seasonal averages with afternoon readings in the 60s at lower elevations of Southern California to the 30s in the mountains. The front will be east of the area Saturday and mostly sunny and slightly warmer temperatures are expected. North winds of 15-25 mph with some gusts to 40 mph will be possible Saturday afternoon through early Sunday morning across Santa Barbara County and the I-5 Corridor. Strong high pressure offshore is expected to build into the area Sunday into the first part of next week which will lead to sunny and much warmer weather. By Monday and Tuesday, the inland valley and lower foothills of Southern California may see readings in the upper 70s to lower 80s. Local northeast winds of 10-20 mph will be possible during the night and morning hours Sunday night through Tuesday across the passes of Southern California. Minimum relative humidity may approach the teens during the afternoon hours early next week. Conversely, the San Joaquin Valley will likely see extensive Tule Fog beginning next Sunday through Tuesday. A trough dropping into the Great Basin will likely bring cooler, onshore flow back into the area by next Wednesday. Temperatures are expected ease back toward normal readings by next Thursday or Friday. Some light offshore winds may be possible toward the end of next week into the following weekend. No precipitation is expected across the district next week.





# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Dec, 19th 2014 at 5:44:08 pm MST



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

## **Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County**

### **Recovery Activities**

#### Public Assistance

- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program. As of 12/05/14, all debris removal operations are complete.
- On 10/28/14, the City of Weed reestablished water pressure to its downtown area; however, the water storage capacity for fire suppression is still lacking. The City expects water storage to be restored by 12/31/14, or sooner if the weather permits.

#### Individual Assistance

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The application deadline for property damage was 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. The VAL continues to work with the Weed LTRG in identifying resources and gaps in services.
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyous.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.

# RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

## Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- As a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared Napa and Solano counties, making residents and business owners eligible to apply for low-interest physical loss disaster loans. This declaration also made available low-interest Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) for businesses to apply in the primary counties of Napa and Solano, as well as the contiguous counties of Contra Costa, Lake, Sacramento, Sonoma, and Yolo.

## Recovery Activities

### Public Assistance

- RPA: 63 RPAs were received and 10 have withdrawn for a total of 53 RPAs submitted to FEMA.
- Kickoff Meeting: 53 Kickoff Meetings have been completed; leaving 2 remaining to be scheduled once through FEMA's review queue. It is currently anticipated all kickoff meetings will be complete by 1/7/2015.
- PW: 215 PWs are anticipated to be written as a result of the Napa Earthquake. Currently, 75 PWs are drafted, 34 PWs have been entered into the federal database system, 22 of which have been obligated.

### Individual Assistance

- The FEMA and State VAL continue to work with nonprofit organizations in Napa County regarding Long Term Recovery efforts. The Napa Earthquake Recovery Group, aka, eNERgy will be holding a general meeting on December 18, 2014.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) will provide case management training to local organizations in Napa and Solano counties.
- Assistance Centers – The County and City of Napa: Local Assistance Center (LAC) opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). On 10/29/14, FEMA and SBA provided representatives in the Napa LAC. The operational hours for the LAC are Monday - Friday 9 AM to 6 PM; Saturdays 9 AM to 4 PM; Sundays closed. **NOTE:** The LAC will be closed on 12/24, 12/25, and 12/26 and will open on 12/27 and 12/29/14.
- The Disaster Recovery Center located at 1155 Capitol Street in the City of Vallejo officially closed at 6 p.m. on 11/25/14, and on Monday, 12/01/14, SBA opened a Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) at the John F. Kennedy Library, 505 Santa Clara Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Vallejo. The operational hours for the DLOC are Monday – Thursday 10 AM to 6PM; Fridays 10 AM to 5 PM.
- The LAC and DLOC is open until further notice. The DLOC in Vallejo will close on Tuesday, December 23, 2014.



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

# CAL OES Missions

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**2014-LAW-8105**, On 12/19/14 at 1412 hours the Air Force Rescue and Coordination Center contacted the California State Warning Center (CSWC) to advise of a possible missing or overdue aircraft (ALNOT). The CSWC issued a mission number and advised the Cal OES Law Duty Officer. The AFRCC believes that the flight plan was potentially input in error; the flight plan showed the flight being from Sacramento to Dallas, TX. The AFRCC recommended that CAP IC not be initiated due to lack of information. The Registered owner of the aircraft was a former owner who sold the plane to a broker several months ago. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer coordinated the request. The AFRCC cancelled the request and the Cal OES LDO was advised. **Mission closed.**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*